

# The CNO Presents Environmental Awards for Fiscal Year 2009

## Recipients Recognized for Exception Environmental Accomplishments

**THE CHIEF OF** Naval Operations (CNO) Admiral Gary Roughead recognized 25 Navy individuals, ships, and installations for their exceptional environmental stewardship during the environmental awards ceremony held 1 June 2010 at the U.S. Navy Memorial and Naval Heritage Center in Washington, DC.

The awardees were recognized for reducing or eliminating hazardous materials, working with governmental and nongovernmental organizations to conserve natural resources, preserving land and restoring plant and animal species.

“I have been most impressed this year with the degree to which the commands and individuals partnered with civic leaders, students and volunteers from local communities,” said Roughead. “Because they’re not only preserving the environment, they’re leading the Navy, indeed, to be a more responsible neighbor and community builder.”

Roughead discussed the relationship between the creative and innovative ‘green’ tactics used by the award winners and how they can help achieve the Navy’s overall energy conservation goals set by Secretary of the Navy Ray Mabus.

“It is through your example, through your skill, through ingenuity, through your dedication, through your involvement with those who can introduce us to new and better ways of doing things, that we can meet those goals,” said Roughead to the awardees.



Master of Ceremonies Rear Admiral Philip Cullom, Director, CNO Energy and Environmental Readiness Division, welcomed the winners and distinguished visitors at the CNO Environmental Awards ceremony, introduced Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Fleet Readiness and Logistics, Vice Admiral William Burke, and narrated the awards presentation.



The CNO, Admiral Gary Roughead, delivers remarks during the Fiscal Year 2009 CNO Environmental Awards ceremony.

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## For More Insights

**FOR INSIGHTS INTO** the Fiscal Year 2009 CNO environmental award winners, see our article entitled “CNO Environmental Awards Recognize Exceptional Stewardship: Efforts of Fiscal Year 2009 Winners Highlight the Range of the Navy’s Commitment” in the summer 2010 issue of *Currents*. You can browse the

*Currents* archive at [www.enviro-navair.navy.mil/currents](http://www.enviro-navair.navy.mil/currents) or visit us on Facebook by searching for “U.S. Navy Currents magazine.” A detailed listing of the awardees is also available on the Navy Newsstand site at [www.navy.mil/search/display.asp?story\\_id=51273](http://www.navy.mil/search/display.asp?story_id=51273).











ABOVE AND PREVIOUS PAGE: FY09 CNO environmental award winners receive their awards from the CNO, Admiral Gary Roughead.

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"I applaud all of the Sailors [and Navy civilians] that are here today, who are the leaders in environmental conservation in their own right," said Roughead.

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